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*Paris, January 7.*

THE Infanta of Spain having ſet out on the 14th paſt from Lerma, it is believed the Exchange of the two Princeſſes will be made To-Day upon the Frontiers of France, in the Iſland where formerly the Conferences for the Pyrenean Treaty were held. The Duke d' Oſſuna is taken up with receiving and returning the Viſits of the Princes of the Blood and the Miniſters here, and deſigns to leave Paris the latter End of this Month. It is now ſaid he will be ſucceeded by the Duke de Bournonville whom the King of Spain has named to be his Ambaſſadour at this Court. The Reconciliation between the Prince and Princeſs of Conti is chiefly attributed to the good Offices of the Chancellour and the Marſhal de Villars. That Prince went on the 5th Inſtant to his Country Seat de l'Iſle d'Adam, where he will remain all this Week. The Sale of the Merchandizes brought by the three Ships belonging to the Eaſt India Company which arrived ſome Months ago is finiſhed, and amounts to about eight Millions of Livres. Laſt Night a Fire broke out upon the Quay de Gevres, which conſumed three Houſes; but was extinguiſhed very ſoon by a Detachment of French and Swiſs Guards, who were ſent thither for that Purpoſe. The following Extract of the Advices relating to the Plague received by the Court to the 31ſt of December, has been communicated to the foreign Miniſters.

The Duke de Roquelaure in his Letters of the 12th and 14th of December writes, that St. Genaix and the ſcattered Houſes of the Pariſh of Aſſions continue in the ſame Condition; all thoſe Places are kept carefully blocked up, and 'tis hoped the Diſtemper will not ſpread further. At Genouillac, Concoules, Bournans, la Salle du Gardon, St. Paul la Coſte, and Salindres, none have died or fallen ſick in ſeveral Days. The Diſtemper does not make any Progreſs in the Gevaudan, and ſince the Weather became cold, it appears to have decreaſed conſiderably in all the infected Places. M. de Rothes in his of the 15th, 17th, and 19th, ſays, the 12th, 13th and 14th of December 13 Perſons died at Alais, two of them of Diſtempers not contagious. The 8th and 9th ſix died at Mende, and three at la Salle du Gardon. All the other Places are in a very good Way. Since the 15th died at Alais ſeven Perſons, three of them of common Diſtempers; and two at Mende the 11th and 12th. The Accounts from other Places continue favourable. Since the 17th nine Perſons have died at Mende and ſeven at Alais. Now and then ſome drop ſtill at Marvejols. A Man is dead at Salindres, a Woman at la Salle du Gardon, and a Girl at Genouillac, where no Perſon had died in ſeveral Days. The Biſhop of Alais writes the 12th and 15th of December, that in the Infirmaries of the Suburbs of Alais there remained but 29 ſick, of whom it was hoped one third would recover. A Prieſt and his Siſter who were under Quarantain in the Town, are dead. Two old Women are alſo dead, but without any Marks of the Plague; and two Children among thoſe who are performing Quarantain. M. de Fraiſe who commands in Mende, writes the 9th of December, that 62 ſick remained in the Infirmaries there, Part of whom it was hoped would be cured. The Diſtemper was decreaſing; the laſt Wane of the Moon had not been ſo pernicious as the preceeding. 39 Perſons who had recovered and whoſe Houſes had been well perfumed, were re-admitted into the Town. M. Gemaſy and Jenin, Phyſicians at Mende,

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write the 9th of December, that there were ſtill 70 ſick in the Infirmaries; the rainy Weather retarded their Cure, but they had great Hopes the Froſt would favour them M. de Vognie, in his of the 9th and 14th of December, confirms the good State of Health at ſeveral Places of the Gevaudan: At Laurac ſix Perſons out of 11 had died in one Houſe. M. d'Yvergny in his of the 16th gives the like Account: Two Perſons were dead in the Village of Blattiers in that Part of the Country with which Communication is forbidden. The Suſpicion which had been entertained of Uſez, ſeemed by the Event hitherto groundleſs. The Diſtemper has not yet paſſed the Tarn. The Marqueſs de Brancas writes the 15th of December, that for ſeven Days none had fallen ill at Alauch. Beſſe and Roquebruſſanne are much better; as is alſo the Comtat, where the Sickneſs abates every where. M. de Belrieu in his of the 19th of December, ſays the Line of Pierrelatte is duely kept; and that all Dauphiné is in a good State of Health. The Mortality which had leſſened at Avignon from the 14th, had from the 17th made new Progreſs; the reſt of the Comtat continues in a bad State. Some Farmhouſes about Carpentras are infected. Aubignan is blocked up. At Orange two Perſons fell ſick on the 16th, after none had been taken ill in ſeven Days ſucceſſively. M. de Vedrille, in his of the 17th of December ſends a Letter from Avignon of the 8th, importing that the Sickneſs had decreaſed a little there. The Marqueſs de Nogaret, in his of the 17th of December, ſends another Letter from Avignon, of the 16th, giving an Account, that 30 or 40 fell ſick ſtill every Day there: 11 or 1200 were in the Infirmaries, and to the 16th of December it was reckoned 4000 had died there. At Orange ſeveral were recovering. Carpentras and Perne are in Health, but the Territory about them infected. The other Places of the Comtat have been a little better for ſome Days paſt. Sariſans and Sorgues continue ill. The Territory of Vedene is lately infected. The Marqueſs de Chabrillan writes the 16th of December, that in general the Gevaudan, the Vivarez, and the Sevennes are in a good State of Health. Chambon is abſolutely freed from the Diſtemper. He thinks the Plague is drawing to an End. M. de Pilles writes the 15th of December, that the four preceeding Days none had died or fallen ſick in Alauch and its Territory. The 12th, 19 Perſons remained in the Hoſpital. M. le Brett in his of the 6th and 8th of December writes, that it was judged the Sickneſs was decreaſing at Alauch, Beſſe, and Roquebruſſanne: In an Houſe at la Seine two Children had died.

*St. James's, Jan.* 2. On New Year's-Day His Majeſty received the Compliments of the Nobility and Gentry; after which, having attended Divine Service at the Chapel Royal together with the Prince and Princeſs, His Majeſty, their Royal Highneſſes, and the young Princeſſes, heard an Ode performed to Muſick, as uſual.

Royal Hoſpital at Greenwich, Dec. 23, 1721.

*The Directors of His Majeſty's Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich do hereby give Notice, That ſuch Shoemakers as are willing to furniſh them with good Shoes for the Penſioners there, (a Sample Pair of which may be ſeen by any Perſon, upon applying to the Steward of the ſaid Hoſpital) may give in their Propoſals to them on Saturday the 6th of January next, at Nine in the Morning, in the ſaid Hoſpital.*

*By Order of the Honourable the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, on Thurſday the 18th Inſtant, at Two in the Afternoon will be expoſed to Sale, by Inch of Candle, in the Long Room in the Cuſtom-houſe, London, An intire Parcel of India Damasks, Pelongs, Chints, Taffaties, Sattins, Ginghams, &c. (which are condemned in His Majeſty's Court of Exchequer) to be exported, clear of all Duties: To be ſeen at the King's Warehouſe at the Cuſtom-houſe, on Monday, Tueſday and Wedneſday, the 15th, 16th, and 17th Inſtant, from 8 to 12, and from 2 till 5, and on Thurſday the 18th, from 8 to 12 in the Forenoon.*

## *Advertiſements.*

THE Creditors of William Berners, Eſq; deceaſed, who have not already proved their reſpective Debts, are hereby required to make Proof of the ſame, before Henry Edwards, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the High Court of Chancery, by the 5th of March next, elſe they will be excluded the Benefit of the Decree of the ſaid Court.

THIS is to give Notice to all Perſons that are indebted to the Eſtate of Mr. William Naſh, Linnen Draper, late at the Golden Key in King-ſtreet, Covent Garden, that they forthwith pay or cauſe to be paid unto Mr. Francis Brerewood, ſole Adminiſtrator to the Eſtate of the ſaid Mr. William Naſh, all ſuch their reſpective Debts, of what Nature ſoever, at the aforeſaid Place, or elſe they will be ſued for the ſame. N. B. This Day will begin at the ſaid Shop, the Sale of all the ſaid Mr. William Naſh's Shop Goods, conſiſting of ſeveral Thouſand Pounds worth of fine Hollands, Cambricks, Lawns, Callicoes, Diapers, Damasks, Huckabacks, and all ſorts of Hollands, and other Linnens in a Linnen Draper's Way; and will continue till all are ſold.

SUCH of the Creditors of John Mitford and Michael Merttins, late of Cornhill, London, Bankers and Copartners, as have proved their Debts, may receive their Dividends at Mr. Charles Bernard's, at Barbers and Surgeons Hall, London, any Day between Nine in the Forenoon and Two in the Afternoon, for the Space of one Month next.

THE Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt John Nicholas, of Wapping, in the County of Middleſex, Sailmaker, intend to meet on the 16th Inſtant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution Money, and chuſe a new Aſſignee or Aſſignees, in the room of Mr. Martin Arnouts, of London, Merchant, deceaſed.

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